

APPROVED – August 24, 2022  
CONNECTICUT EMS ADVISORY BOARD  
**June 22, 2022 at 0900 hours**  
Hybrid meeting

Board Members	G. Allard, J. Beaulieu (MIH) (P), L. Bolton, S. Caffyn (P), S. Conley, M. Daniels, K. Ferrarotti (Health and Wellness) (P), R. Glaspy (P), R. Guthrie (P), J. Laucella (Regionalization), M. Loiz (Legislative) (P), K. McClaine (CEMSMAC), J. Paretzky (P), F. Potter, S. Robinson (P), A. Romano, I. Smith, J. Spencer (P), R. Ziegler
Non-Member Committee Chairs	C. Dunn (Data) (P), B. Morris (CMED)
Regional Council Presidents	M. Osborne (Education and Training), M. Blake (Region 1), W. Fitzmaurice (Region 2), F. Rosa (Region 5)
EMSC	M. Petrucelli
OEMS Staff:	A. Pugliese, J. Demers (P), J. Reynolds (P), M. Zacchera (P), K. Hickox (P)
Guests	P. Canning, T. Schietinger, K. Coupe, C. Bashford (P), J. Hui (P), M. Pisano (P), A. Cooper (P), A. Demers (P), J. Spencer (P)
Board Chair	W. Schietinger (P)

Meeting opened at 09:08

**Attendance: \*(P)=in person**  
**\*20 = in person**  
**\*21 = virtual**

<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>DISCUSSION LED BY:</b>	<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<b>ACTION</b>
Moment of Silence for Lost EMS Providers	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bonnie Protsko, Monroe EMS</li> <li>• 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Lifestar crash</li> </ul>	None required.
Meeting Minutes from May 25, 2022	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accepted as presented</li> </ul>	<p>Motion to accept May 25, 2022 minutes</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> J. Paretzky and 2<sup>nd</sup> I. Smith</p> <p>Motion passed unanimously.</p>
Public comment		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No comments.</li> </ul>	
Presentation	C. Bashford	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• E-Bridge presentation</li> </ul>	
Presentation	J. Hui, A. Cooper	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Twiage presentation</li> <li>• B. Morris, CMED discussion; lengthy discussion of twiage, notification technology app</li> </ul>	<p>Motion for Advisory board to support Pre notification app technology for use in EMS</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> R. Guthrie, 2<sup>nd</sup> K. Mclaine</p> <p>Motion passed unanimously</p>

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Chair's Report	W. Schietinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update on PREE &amp; Protective Custody calls/forms</li> </ul>	Greg Allard updated all on his meeting with DHMAS and form consolidation
OEMS, written report submitted for June 2022		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>June OEMS report submitted</li> <li>MIH position</li> <li>J. Demers regarding National Registry and accreditation requirements</li> <li>Letter to be drafted by Board to send to NREMT that is against removing the accreditation requirements</li> </ul>	<a href="#">Policies for Public Comment   National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (nremt.org)</a>  Bill will work with other EMS agencies in the State to develop a co-written letter opposing the move by NREMT
EMSC Report	J. Demers, for M. Petrucelli	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Still booking SIMS – Trumbull drowning recreational sim was a good time with timely info</li> </ul>	None
Breakout Session		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	None required.
<b>Committee Reports</b>			
CEMSMAC	K. McClaine, May 2022 minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meeting minutes submitted; no updates</li> </ul>	
CMED and SIEC Committee	B. Morris, May minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No update</li> </ul>	None

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Council of Regional Presidents (CORP)	W. Fitzmaurice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please promote EMS Awards; deadline is 9/1/22</li> </ul>	<a href="https://ctemscouncils.org/">https://ctemscouncils.org/</a>
Data Committee	C. Dunn, June minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• June minutes submitted</li> </ul>	
Education and Training Committee	M. Osborne, June minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review of submitted minutes</li> </ul>	
Health and Wellness Committee	K, Ferrarotti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No update</li> </ul>	
Legislative Committee	M. Loiz, May minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional coordinators as full-time employees</li> </ul>	
Mobile Integrated Healthcare Committee	J. Beaulieu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No update</li> </ul>	
Nominating and Membership Committee	W. Fitzmaurice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No update</li> </ul>	
Regional Preparedness and Collaboration Committee	K. Ferrarotti, May minutes submitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Met in June</li> <li>• No update</li> </ul>	
Trauma Committee		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No update</li> </ul>	

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Action Items	W. Schietinger	• None	
Old Business	W. Schietinger	• None	
New Business		• None	
Next Meeting	July 27		
Adjournment	10:55 am		Motion to adjourn

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**EMS Advisory Board Upcoming Meeting Schedule:**

Jul 27 - hybrid  
 Aug 24  
 Sept 28  
 Oct 26  
 Nov 21 (*Monday due to the holiday*)  
 Dec 28